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10. [] JMM) At the suggestion of Senator Stuart Symington, I called Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, and suggested that he formulate some questions for the use of the Committee at the hearing on 5 April and let us have copies so that we could be preparing appropriate answers. [] and I will meet Braswell at 10:30 am. on 2 April to work out details.

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11. [] RJK) Delivered to Jane Goforth, on Senator Henry Jackson's (D., Wash.), staff, 2 USSR summary maps, per her request.

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13. [] PLC) Discussed with Jon Hawley, legislative assistant to Representative Guy Vander Jagt (R., Mich.), the case of Edward J. McHale, Labor Officer in the U.S. Embassy in Australia, who is seeking a private bill to credit his prior Radio Free Europe (RFE) employment toward his Federal retirement. I first assured Hawley that McHale was not a U.S. Government employee when he was with RFE and that the Civil Service Commission has consistently ruled against crediting RFE employment for Federal retirement. I explained that RFE is no longer administered by CIA, but for his information, I left a copy of the CSC appeals decision in a similar case in 1969 and a copy of a letter from State to Senator Case in 1971 informing him of the firm CSC decision. Hawley appreciated the background information and will contact State. He felt quite sure that Vander Jagt will not sponsor a private bill for McHale. (See Journal for 26 March 1973.)

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